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In re Application of:

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: Examiner: Barry Choobin

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For SCATTER AND BEAM HARDENING CORRECTION
IN COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY APPLICATIONS

ELECTION AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents

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In response to the Office Action mailed on 9 September 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account 07-0868.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper;

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.